

RESPONSE

Remarks

Claims 1-13, 19, 21-24 and 34 are pending in the Application. Claims 1 and 34 are in independent format. Claims 19 and 21-24 have been amended to depend on Independent Claim 1. New system Claim 34 has been providing a system for executing the method of independent Claim 1.

Applicant now responds to the Examiner's assertions. The Applicant traverses all the Examiner's assertions. The Applicant may respond to only certain assertions by the Examiner, but the Applicant intends to traverse **all** the Examiner's assertions.

TELEPHONE INTERVIEW ON October 16, 2009

The Applicant thanks the Examiner for his courtesy and insight during the telephone interview on October 16, 2009. The Applicant's response is based on the understanding and insights gained from this telephone interview with the Examiner.

RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT RESPONSE

The Applicant acknowledges and accepts the Examiner has withdrawn the previous restriction requirement and instituted a new one.

The Applicant elects, **Invention I: A method for protecting domain name** including **Claims 1-13** for immediate prosecution *with* traverse. Applicant has amended independent Claim 19 to now depend on independent Claim 1.

Applicant specifically points out the reasons on which he or she bases his or her conclusions that a requirement to restrict is in error under 37 C.F.R. 1.144.

(1) The Examiner admits inventions I and III are related. Applicant amended the independent claim 15 of Invention III to depend on independent Claim 1 of Invention I; (2) Invention I includes a method of providing a permanent registration for a domain name. Invention III includes the additional limitations of attaching a permanent web-site to the domain name for the a permanent registration has been provided; (3) the current set of claims would not provide a serious search and examination burden for the Examiner as the Examiner has to search independent Claim 1 anyway. All the dependent claims add additional features and limitations not claimed in Independent Claim 1.

The Applicant submits that it has adequately traversed the restriction requirement imposed the Examiner.

The Applicant reserves the right to file continuing or divisional applications or take such other appropriate action as deemed necessary to protect the non-elected claims.

The Applicant hereby does not abandon or waive any rights whatsoever in the non-elected claims.

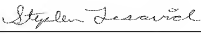
In addition, Applicant's election is not intended to be any comment whatsoever on the elected or non-elected claims.

CONCLUSION

The Applicant requests the claims be immediately considered for prosecution by the Examiner.

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